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Third Liberty Loan--Buy That Bond To-day.

Local News

The case of Mark P Bransfield and Thomas T McFarland, of the Auburn and Morgan State Banks, will be continued on April 24 in Judge George Kersten's court Depositors crowded the court room at its hearing last week, and became very angry at the postponing of the decision

Take your cleaning, pressing or repairing to Gus Bovik's Tailor Shop, 7822 Halsted St, for best results

A service flag with thirty-five stars was dedicated at St Sabina's Church last Sunday at the eleven o'clock mass.

Lace Curtains, hand laundered, 3 pair for $1 00 7008 Winchester Ave Phone Normal 6762

The Auburn Park Auxiliary of the Red Cross met at the home of Mrs Mulone last Monday evening A large number attended.

Dr Hayes Carlin has left to join the colors

Owen Murphy has been transferred from Rockford to Texas

Do your spring cleaning early Help beautify your neighborhood

The Auburn Park Improvement Association gave its gala event of the season at its annual dance on Saturday evening Everyone present had a most pleasant evening and those who did not attend are regretting it Do your bit! Help the Association improve Auburn Park

Miss Eleanor Rohrer celebrated her birthday with a party at her home Saturday evening The eighth grade class of St Sabina's school and many children of the neighborhood attended

On Monday, April 1st, Miss Jo Kelly was the guest of honor at a "Tin Shower" given by the Misses Lyons at their home, 7831 May St

Miss Gladys Talahey of 7811 S Ada St will entertain "The Hi Fi Di" Club on Thursday, April 11th

Waite's Dancing Academy will hold a Jass Party with special Jass music, on next Saturday evening, April 13, at Cosmopolitan Hall, 7938 Halsted St

Economize on your clothing expenses by having your garments cleaned and repaired We pay special attention to the cleaning of ladies and gentlemen's fine clothes TIM WELDON, Tailor and Cleaning 7823 Halsted St Open evenings

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"The Wishing Ring"

On Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of last week, April 2 and 3, a very unique entertainment called "The Wishing Ring" was given at the Ryder School Assembly Hall, 87th and Wallace streets The play was given under the auspices of the Mother's Club of Gresham Children of the neighborhood and members of the club took part There were about one hundred in the cast

Ogden Park Auxiliary

What with the making of little clothes for refugee babies and garments for their unfortunate mothers the great drive for old clothing to relieve the destitute in Belgium and the conquered parts of France and the coming grand rally not to mention the regular work of making hospital garments and surgical dressings Ogden Park Auxiliary is seething with activity

Anent the big drive The Ogden Park unit a receiving station for the used clothing has been supplemented in its work by the schools and other auxiliaries Also the house-to-house canvas made by the boy scouts brought big results Last week 700 pounds of cast-off garments were collected and this week's pile has swelled to something over 2300 pounds making a total of over a ton and a half Thanks to the efforts of Mr Julius Rainwater and of the South Park commissioners was enlisted and they loaned the park trucks for hauling the mountain of apparel to headquarters

Do not forget the rally to be held in the field house in Ogden Park on Sunday April 14 at 2 30 p m Music by a brass band songs by an opera singer and a war talk by Sergeant B A Andrews of the Argyll and Southern Highlanders who is home from the trenches on sick leave are some of the attractions of a good program Everybody is invited Ladies bring your husbands and your friends

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Is Uncle Sam's Word Good?

Bill Simcoe borrows $1,000, and gives his note and a mortgage on his place The security is all right, of course, or he wouldn't have been able to pry loose the $1,000 But behind that stands the fact that the lender had faith in Bill Simcoe's word. "His word is as good as his bond"—that is what the neighbors say of him Faith in Bill Simcoe has as much to do with the transaction as anything else

The United States of America includes Bill Simcoe, and you, and me and 111,000,000 others equally as good as we are Whereas Bill Simcoe's ability to repay what he borrows rests entirely on his farm and his strong right arm, the ability of the United States to pay back what it borrows rests on the earning power of 111,000,000 husky men and women who wear "Stars and Stripes" in their button holes Uncle Sam has the power to tax everyone of the people to make good any promise of payment he makes And the people have 3,000,000 square miles of territory to earn tax money for them, when Uncle Sam calls.

Mr William Hohenzollern knows this and he has started out to conquer the United States, so that he will be able to levy Fifty Billion Dollars of tribute from the American people If he can win the war he will be able to make us pay anything he demands

Now Uncle Sam comes to the people and says "I must borrow some money to beat off the Kaiser I will pay you back in a few years and in the meantime I will give you 4¼ percent interest and certain tax exemptions You won't lose a cent but on the contrary you will have the safest and best investment in the World, holding LIBERTY BONDS"

Do you believe Uncle Sam? Is his word good? Well, you are part of Uncle Sam yourself If you don't believe Uncle Sam you haven't any faith in yourself! MORAL: INVEST IN ALL THE LIBERTY BONDS YOU POSSIBLY CAN.

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The gentleman who was seen to pick up the floor lamp in front of 7753 Green St April 3rd, please return it.

FOR SALE

For Sale—Vernis Martin bed, box springs, reasonable; good condition 7753 Morgan St, 3rd apt Stewart 33.

For Sale at a Big Bargain—Modern 2 flat, 5-5 rooms, sleeping and sun porches, lot 33x125, $1,700 cash, balance monthly like rent Owner, 7950 Aberdeen St Stewart 1250

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Liberty Loan Contest for Farm Boys

Walter H Wilson, Chicago banker, former city comptroller and member of the Liberty Loan trades advisory committee, will award $500 divided into eight prizes, to farm boys in a contest for Liberty Bond subscriptions, it was announced today (Saturday)

The contest is nation wide in its scope The farm boys are permitted to turn in subscriptions made only to farm owners or residents

Prizes of $100, $75, $50 and $25 in War Savings stamps are to be awarded to the four boys turning in the largest total amount of sales in dollars, and a like set of prizes to the four boys getting the largest number of individual subscribers

For the prizes named subscriptions for the third Liberty loan are to be taken by farm boys over 16 and under 21 years of age They must be residents of farms

Every boy entering the competition is requested immediately to send his name and address to the Orange Judd Farmer, Springfield, Mass

The awards are distributed as follows

FIRST PRIZES—
Largest total amount of sales in dollars, $100
Largest number of individual subscribers $100

SECOND PRIZES—
Largest total amount of sales in dollars, $75
Largest number of individual subscribers $75

THIRD PRIZES—
Largest total amount of sales in dollars, $50
Largest number of individual subscribers $50

FOURTH PRIZES—
Largest total amount of sales in dollars $25
Largest number of individual subscribers, $25

The records made from April 6 the opening date of the Liberty Loan campaign, until May 4, the final date will be counted in making the awards

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Fresh Leaf Lard, lb. 26½
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Wednesday, April 10th
Boneless Smoked Pork Butts, lb. 32½
Choice Veal or Lamb Stew, lb. 18½
Choice Native Sirloin Steaks, lb. 28c
2 lbs. Chopped Beef, with Pork 35c

Thursday, April 11th
Fresh Pork Tenderloins, lb. 36c
Choice Club Steaks, lb. 25c
Sweet Pickled or Fresh Pigs' Feet 7½c
2 lbs. Our Best Lard only 57c

Friday, April 12th
No. 1 Sugar Cured Calif. Hams, lb. 23½
Smoked Finnan Haddies or Whitefish, lb. 22c
Fresh or Pickled Pork Butts, lb. 25c
Sweet Pickled Beef Tongues 22½

Saturday, April 13th
Choice Leg of Veal or Hindquarters, lb. 24½
Fancy Spring Chickens, lb. 34½
Native Beef Tenderloin to Roast, lb. 26c
Whole Pork Loins, lb. 27½
Choice Veal Roasts, lb., 22c and 20c
No. 1 Sugar Cured Hams, lb. 30½

For Uncle Sam and Old Glory

AS several of the boys from our store will soon enter the armed forces of our country to do their bit to keep the glow in Old Glory, we are forced to discontinue our grocery store at 7808 S. Halsted St.

Our large stock of fine, fresh, high grade groceries will be moved to the Highland Grocery House, 7838 S. Halsted St. In order to facilitate moving and to clean up all the goods on shelves and opened cases, we will sell many articles of our well known high class staple groceries at cost prices, while they last, including—

CANNED GOODS
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The quality of goods we carry is well known and the prices we quote are made to move them fast. We reserve the right to limit quantities and will sell only goods on shelves and in opened cases.

We want to take this opportunity to express our gratitude for the liberal patronage we have enjoyed in this location, and trust many of our customers will continue their patronage at the Highland Grocery House, 7838 S. Halsted St.

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Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour 12c
Columbia Dates, pkg. 11c
Bleached Sultana Raisins, lb 15c
No. 2 can Pork and Beans, 2 for 25c
Standard Sweet Corn, 2 for 25c
Jap Rose Soap, 3 for 25c
Kirk's Olive Soap, 3 for 23c
Barley Flour, per lb. 7½c
Yellow Cornmeal, lb. 6½c
White Cornflour, lb 7½c
Rice Flour, lb. 11c
Navy Beans, lb. 17c
Campbell's Soups 10c
Fancy No. 3 Plums 22c
Fancy No. 3 cans Spinach 19c
Country Gentleman Corn, the best 18c
None Such Peas, the best 20c
No. 3 can Tomatoes, the best 20c
Peanut Butter, 25c, 15c, 12c and 10c
Carnation, Pet or Van Camp's Milk, can 12½c
Libby's No. 3 can Peaches, the best 30c
Pint bottle Mustard 12c
SPECIAL SALE ON PACKAGE COFFEE
Club House, 1 lb pkg 33c
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Kirk's Flake Soap, bar 4½c
Crystal White Soap, bar 4½c
Amber Soap, bar 5½c
N. R. G. Washing Tablets, pkg. 4c
Pint Bottle Fancy Table Syrup 20c
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Salt Pigs Ears, lb. 10c
Salt Snouts, lb. 12½c
Salt Pigs Feet, lb. 8c
Sirloin Butt Steak, lb 25c
Round Steak, lb 28c
Salt Herring, each 5c
Kraut, quart 8c
Smoked Butts, lb. 33c

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Musical Section

A large audience assembled in the Red Room of the Hotel La Salle Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock to enjoy the benefit concert given under the auspices of the First New Thought Church in behalf of its founder, Chas. Wesley Ryle.

Lillian Thomas Johnston, 1525-9 Kimball Hall, gave great pleasure with her clear, sweet soprano. Millard's "Humbly Before Thee" was her first selection, with violin obligato, ably performed by Leora Pryce Miller. Mrs. Johnston sang this number beautifully and with a highly artistic finish. The difficult cadenza at the close was done with great ease and surety of pitch. Her second number, Parker's "A Gypsy Maiden," glowed with gay rhythm and sparkling abandon. Aside from her singing she has a pleasing appearance, which also wins her audiences.

Miss Louise Smith, prominent 'cellist, rendered three attractive numbers in a very efficient manner.

Mr. Addison H. Briscoe, 1525-7 Kimball Hall, pianist and accompanist, rendered the rarely heard "La Valse des Valses" of the brilliant French concert pianist of a former generation, Gustave A. Satter. Mr. Briscoe also played the Chopin "G Sharp Minor Polonaise" with a fine regard for rhythm, phrasing and variance. His accompaniments were beautifully done and formed the proper artistic background for the soprano, 'cello and violin numbers.

The diminutive danseuse, Byril June Fredericks, was a dream of grace and poetic motion.

The little violinist, Elizabeth Green, received quite an ovation.

Mr. Grandon Cooper, baritone, gave two famous selections, the "Duo Pasenti" (from Faust) and Allitsen's "The Lord Is My Light."

Miss Bernice Ladd, a most gifted reader, scored a great hit in her rendition of Barrie's "The Twelve-Pound Look."

The audience was most cordial and pronounced the occasion a brilliant success.

Mr. Addison Briscoe, an experienced teacher of piano and concert pianist, lives at 6733 Lafayette. Lillian T. Johnston lived here about twenty years and attended grammar and high school and appeared on many programs. She now lives in Garfield Park subdivision.

A sad culmination was the death of Mr. Ryle. His request was to be cremated and the ashes scattered to the four winds.

Mrs. Minnie Sanders of Loomis St. has disposed of her delicatessen business owing to poor health.

The Ladies' Aid of the Evangelical Church, on Sangamon St., near Marquette Road, will hold an apron sale Thursday, April 11th, in the church parlors, at 6640 Sangamon St. Coffee and cake.

Mr. Joseph Brown of Pittsburgh, Pa., made a short visit with Englewood relatives 14-1 Thursday while here on a business trip.

St. Ita's Court, W. C. O. F., held a bunco party in Boardman's Hall last Thursday evening.

Harold E. Durkee, twelve-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Durkee, 6240 Normal Blvd., was the winner of the silver loving cup in the song contest at the Marbowe Theater, 63rd and Stewart Ave. Tuesday night, March 26th. The cup is presented to the best singer, which is decided by the audience. The Marbowe Theater has a song contest every Tuesday evening, and the winner of the first prizes enters in the loving cup contest every four weeks.

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Alco Nut, per lb. brick	28c	Brooms, each	59c	Queen Olives, Mason jar	25c	Matches, 3 large boxes for	16c
Armour's Oats, pkg.	10c	Sweet Chocolate, cake	5c	Pears, large No. 3 size can	15c	Argo Starch, box	6c
Lowney's Cocoa, ½ lb. can	18c	Bitter Chocolate, small cake	9c	Pears, No. 2 size can	12c	Mallard Catsup, large bottle	17c
Lowney's Cocoa, small can	8c	Bitter Chocolate, ½ lb. cake	18c	Peaches, Sliced, No. 1 size can	10c	Baked Beans, Lakeside, No. 2 size can	12½c
English Breakfast Tea, lb.	39c	OUR 23c COFFEE IS DELICIOUS		Beets, large No. 3 size can	15c	Lima Beans, lb.	16c
Golden Santos Coffee, 3 lbs. for	50c	OUR 20c COFFEE HAS NO EQUAL		Old Manse Syrup, quart can	41c	Navy Beans, lb.	17c
American Family Soap, bar	5½c	Lipton Tea, 1 lb. can	69c	Old Manse Syrup, pint can	23c	Pinto Beans, lb.	12c
Classic Soap, bar	4½c	Peaches, tall can, sliced or halves, can	15c	Maple and Cane Syrup, large bottle	27c	Snider's Tomato Soup, tall can	9c
Armour's White Flyer, bar	4½c	Apricots, tall can, peeled, can	15c	Salmon, tall can, pink	18c	Sweet Potatoes, large No. 3 size can	19c
Keen Kleaner, 3 cans for	10c	Christmas Raisins, no seeds, pkg.	9c	Salmon, Cracker Jack brand	20c	Sweet Potatoes No. 2 size can	15c
Libby's Milk, tall can	12c	Peeled Peaches, lb.	15c	Salmon, red, 1 lb. can, tall	25c	Fresh Bread, loaf	8c
Borden's Milk, tall can	12c	Bulk Cocoa, best grade, lb.	22c	Table Salt, 10c box for	6c	All National Biscuit Co.'s Cakes, 15c pkg. for	12c
Sour Kraut, Lakeside, large No. 3 can	15c	Peas, Eureka, Early June, can	13c	Fould's Macaroni and Spaghetti, pkg.	8½c	Soda Crackers, per lb.	16c
Codfish, Boneless, 1 lb. brick	20c	Corn, Plymouth Rock, can	13c	Asparagus, round can	15c	Graham and Oatmeal Crackers, lb.	18c
Pillsbury's Vitos, same as Cream of Wheat, pkg.	18c	Tomato Pulp, can	8c	Rumford Baking Powder, 1 lb. can	23c	Premium Soda Crackers, pkg.	16c
King's Buckwheat, pkg.	10c	Tomato Sauce, can	9c	Dr. Price's Baking Powder, 1 lb. can	42c		

Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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Huh!

Said a skinny young woman named Gadders,
Who is one of our best little padders:
"I may not be fat
In my limbs; but, bless Pat,
My hose never gets Jacob's ladders!"

Giddap!

"Bronx is always blowing about New York being a patriotic town," said the boob. "What is so patriotic about it?"

"Why it has some red lights, a White Way and blue laws," explained the wise guy.

Everybody's Doing It.

The hound dog said: "Oh, woe is me!
I'm humbled, but no richer.
For they have traded me, you see,
For a left handed pitcher."

Wry.

"The grouch always has a wry look on his face," said the old fogy.

"Yes," replied the wise guy. "I have often noticed his nose."

Making Light of Them

A carefree man is William Torr,
He laughs at all his ills;
He makes light of his troubles for
He always burns his bills.

Ouch!

"It certainly is touch to have freckles," sighed the crook.

"Why?" asked the cop.

"No matter how I try to cover up, I am always spotted," replied the crook.

Last.

A cobbler's wife once said to me
"My husband has a past,
But he is good now, although he
Is not too good to last."

Putting on City Airs.

Our popular merchant, Mr. Eli Young, has added a few more chairs and nail kegs around the stove in his store for the benefit of the sons of eternal rest. He is also contemplating starting a soup house. Why not? Other large cities have them.—McCreary County (Ky.) Democrat.

Now You Are Saying Something.

Luke McLuke says the word whisky had its origin in the Irish word "uisque." It is not the origin so much as the destination of whisky that demands so much attention and gives so much worry.—Houston Post.

The Wise Fool.

"You should always be sure that you are right," observed the sage.

"And then let in the clutch," added the fool.

We Remember Him.

Dear Luke—What has become of the old fashioned man who always wore patches of newspaper on his chin after he got through shaving himself?—R. F. A.

That's Nice.

Dear Luke—Minnie Swears lives in our town, but she never used a cuss word in her life.—Owensboro, Ky.

Things to Worry About.

The jam of Nawawanager has joined the allies.

Daily Health Hint.

Do not use an ice pick to remove wax from the ear.

Luke McLuke Says:

When you see a scared looking man wearing a tie that is as quiet as a steam calliope you can bet that his wife bought it for him because it matches the prayer rug in the front room.

Some women marry to get even with some other girl and then spend the rest of the time getting even with the mutt they married.

A woman is always a woman. Her daily grind may be a parade between the kitchen and the dining room with food for a husband and six children. But when she gets a moment of leisure she likes to sit down and read a story in which handsome Harold Chalmers gathers beautiful Beatrice Benefice into his strong arms and showers passionate kisses on her face and hair.

What has become of the old fashioned girl who used to hoist her skirts with one hand and who pulled the skirt tight in the back so as to give herself a bustle effect when she was walking?

When the seat of a man's pants is shining he isn't worrying much about his chances of shining in society.

A princess knows that a fellow has brains if his hair is curly.

When mother wants to be nice to father she will get up early and sew a button on his pants. And then father will get up and raise Cain because some one swiped two bits out of one of the pockets.

It takes an optimist to size up a window display of bust forms, hip and other pads and other scenic props and then meet a girl on the street and believe that her shape is just what nature gave her.

It takes a woman three minutes to frisk through the junk in her handbag to locate a nickel. But she doesn't have to hunt through about a dozen pockets when she wants anything, and a man does.

The soulful maiden is interested in the color of his eyes. But the wise widow is interested in the color of his coin.

A girl won't believe it, but the pretty fellow with the dimples isn't as apt to succeed as the homely fellow with lots of cheek.

Korea Eats Rice With a Spoon.

While China and Japan take rice with chopsticks, Korea eats here with a spoon. Prediction is that the next step will usher in the broad fork. "Whence comes this peculiarity?" asks the Korea Magazine. "One reason is that in the Analects of Confucius a record exists that the master ate his millet not with chopsticks, but with a spoon. Every saying that pertains to Confucius is reverently regarded in Korea, and the people of that land would rather follow the master than present day custom."—East and West News.

The Servian Swineherd.

In any Servian village there is only one swineherd, and he leads all the pigs of the community. In the morning he goes through the streets blowing his horn, and the pigs come out of their own accord and fall in behind him and follow him to the pasture. At night he brings them home, and they disperse to their sties in the same orderly way as they pass the houses to which they belong. They require no attention and no singling out.

Southern Mangrove.

The rhizophora mangle, the southern mangrove, is most curious in propagation. The seed sends forth a shoot that really comes through the seed and grows to a foot long. It then falls away and strikes, root end down, in the mud and is at once a plant.

She Got the Idea.

He—I say, Dolly, may I take your photograph? You look so pretty that I feel I could eat you! She—Oh, I see! that's why you want me on a plate, eh?

PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

Bites and Stings.

In case of a sting of any kind the first thing to do, of course, is to remove the sting. This can best be done with the point of a knife or needle, but care should be taken not to break the skin for fear of infection. Then the next best thing, perhaps, is to apply ammonia water or soda water to the affected parts.

In case of bites, as well as of stings when the sting is removed, as a rule a paste of common baking soda applied to the affected parts or these bathed in ammonia water is all that is necessary. Where the poisonous effect is severe, however, send for a doctor. In the meantime the patient should lie down and keep quiet.

An application of a 50 per cent solution of a saturate solution of potassium permanganate which you get at the drug store is very efficient for insect poisons and for the poisons of plants, too, such as poison ivy and sumac.

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TENNIS SLIPPERS EXTRA SPECIAL

Satruday, April 13th, from 8:30 A. M. till 5 P. M., Women's, Children's, Boys' and Girls' Tennis Slippers, black or white, all sizes, special at **49c**

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SPECIAL KNITTING BAGS

10 doz. extra good quality, patent leather Knitting Bags, made with double strap handles, 1.25 values, while they last **39c**

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50 dozen Women's high graed Voile Blouses, in all white and white with daintily colored stripes, all the season's newest models, real $1.50 values, very special at **95c**

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Women's extra high grade Coverall Aprons, made of good quality percales, in light and dark colors, worth $1.50 today, on sale this week only at **1.00**

One lot Women's newest up-to-date style House Dresses, made of extra quality percale and neatly trimmed, very specially priced for this sale at **1.50**

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Children's Wash Dresses, all the very best makes of fine quality, fast color gingham, all the newest spring styles, priced fo rthis sale at from $2.50 down to **75c**

SPECIAL RAG RUGS

Extra heavy fine Rag Carpet Rugs, specially priced for this sale as follows:
24x36, each **69c**
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1 lot 36 to 42 inch fine Curtain Scrim and Marquisettes, in ecru and ivory, regular 39c value, special at yard **29c**

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100 pairs extra fine quality Scrim Curtains, in ecru and ivory, nicely made, with heavy lace edges, reg. price $2.25, special price for this sale, pr.. **1.89**

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50 pieces 36 in. extra fine soft finished Madras in beautiful designs and colorings for drapes, portieres, etc., regular 85c value, special for this sale.. **59c**

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UNDERWEAR SPECIALS FOR MEN AND WOMEN
Largest Stock on the South Side

Women's fine jersey ribbed, bleached Union Suits, sleeveless, cuff and lace knee, 50c values, special at **39c**

Women's Union Suits, made of extra fine jersey ribbed Egyptian cotton, low neck, sleeveless, cuff or shell knee, regular $1 value, special **79c**

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Men's extra high grade bleached jersey ribbed Union Suits, short sleeves, three-quarter lengths, $1.95 values, specially priced at **1.50**

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200 dozen Women's fine Lisle Hose, full regular made, in black, white and tan, worth 35c and 39c, special while they last, pair **25c**

Women's extra fine Lisle Hose, out size with ribbed top, in black or white, all sizes, 75c values, very special, pair **59c**

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50 dozen Men's high grade, fine seamless Lisle Half Hose, in black only, all sizes, regular 25c values, special at, pair **19c**

MEN'S SHIRTS
Large Assortment at Lowest Prices in the City

Men's fine Dress Shirts, made of good quality percale, a large assortment of neat stripes, $1.25 values, special at **89c**

Men's high grade Dress Shirts, made of good quality percale and madras cloths, soft and stiff cuffs, many patterns to choose from, $1.50 values, very special at **1.25**

Men's finest quality high grade Pure Silk Dress Shirts, a large assortment of beautiful patterns, must be seen to be appreciated, specially priced for this sale at from $7.50 down to **2.50**

EXTRA SPECIAL BOYS' OVERALLS

On Saturday, April 13th, from 8:30 A. M. to 5 P. M., we will place on sale 50 dozen Boys' Overalls, made of heavy blue and white striped denim, sizes 4 to 14, worth 75c, special at **49c**

8:30 A. M. to 5 P. M. only

SPECIAL TURKISH TOWELS

100 dozen 16x30 inch full bleached Turkish Towels, extra heavy quality, with hemmed edges. They were bought a year ago and are worth 19c today. Special while they last, each, only ... **12½c**

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150 pieces full 36 in. extra fine quality Percales in light and dark grounds, many neat patterns to select from, sold everywhere at 35c, our price for this sale only **25c**

SPECIAL WASH SUITS

Boys' Wash Suits, made of good quality Gingham, Percale and Galatea Cloths, in the newest spring styles, priced for this sale at from $2.50 down to **95c**

SPECIAL SILK GLOVES

Kayser guaranteed Silk Gloves, double finger tips, warwanted not to cut through with reasonable amount of wear, in black, white and colors, specially priced for this sale at pair ... **65c**

Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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Eye Deal.

"My fellow is real nice to me,
He sells glass eyes," said Fan;
"He's just as fine as he can be,
He is an ideal man."

Meah Brute!

"Mrs Blank is very fond of animals," remarked Mrs Gabb

"Yes," growled Mr Gabb "I notice that she's always making a monkey out of her husband"

Huh!

"She is a picture," said young Blinn.
"Her beauty is refined,
And yet at times I find her in
An ugly frame of mind."

Paw Knows Everything.

Willie—Paw, does a botanist know as much about flowers as a florist?

Paw—Yes, my son But he doesn't know as much about the prices people will pay for them.

Hot and Cold.

He's nervy when he wins a pot,
But he s not hard to beat,
So when the game gets too blame hot,
He always gets cold feet

Slow.

"Why do you state that women are slower than men?" demanded the suffragette

"It takes most of them forty years to reach the age of thirty," replied the Grouch

Ouch!

Canalboats sail where it is wet,
As everybody knows
They don t need any fingers, yet
Can't travel without tows.

Optimism.

It could be worse. When you have only one suit of clothes to your name you know that the moths are not eating the other suit —Cincinnati Inquirer Bless you, brother There's optimism that counts—New York Evening Telegram

Names Is Names.

Seymour Legg lives at Herkimer, N Y

Wood That Is Wasted.

There are more than 48,000 sawmills in the United States, and their output of waste in the form of sawdust, shavings, slabs and other wood refuse is estimated at 36,000,000 cords a year This is equal to 4,500,000,000 cubic feet of waste, which is the capacity of a bin one-half mile high with a base covering a forty acre lot.

NEW DEATH TESTS.

How to Tell When Life Has Actually Ceased.

An Italian scientist describes the following three new methods of determining the cessation of life:

The first is the ether test. A drop of ether is instilled into the conjunctival sac of one eye. If this is followed by a reddening of the conjunctiva it affords proof that the circulation is intact and that life is still present The other eye is used as a control

The second test consists in the subcutaneous injection of fluorescin, which, if the individual is still living, is soon followed by a yellowish coloring of the skin, and mucous membrane of the mouth and particularly of the frenum of the tongue show this coloration most distinctly. A negative result is obtained in cases of marked slowing or enfeeblement of the circulation.

The third test consists in direct exploration of the heart by means of a stylet This is introduced through a small incision in one of the intercostal spaces. Any movement in the heart is communicated to the stylet.

How to Walk and Grow Thin Is the Main Question.

Here is a simple method to reduce weight which has been used with great success·

Rise early and take a half hour walk in the air, walking a steady but alert gait On returning home drink a cupful of hot water with plenty of salt After a light breakfast, leaving the table not quite satisfied, take a hand working vacuum cleaner or carpet sweeper with a long handle and keep up a steady, long reaching movement This reduces the tops of the arms and removes the fat about the neck Then take a duster and dust the legs of chairs and stretch to the tops of doors to get a steady bending and stretching movement The treatment takes about two hours a morning, and by abstemious eating and occasional cupfuls of hot water with salt during the day, also one on retiring, the desired result is obtained and the health improved

An Odd Moorish Custom.

As a people the Moors are already well inclined to anything that gilds life. A correspondent says "Nothing delights them more as a means of agreeably spending an hour or two than squatting on their heels in the streets or on some door stoop, gazing at the passersby, exchanging compliments with their acquaintances Native 'swells' consequently promenade with a piece of felt under their arms, on which to sit when they wish."—London Spectator

Capable Housewives.

"Plenty of modern girls know how to clean and mend"

"Just as their grandmothers did, eh?"

"Well, they know how to mend a tire and clean a spark plug."—Louisville Courier Journal.

Air In a Tunnel.

When a train goes through a tunnel the resistance of the air is an important factor, experiments having demonstrated that it measures 13 80 pounds per ton of train weight in the Simplon tunnel, as against only 8 8 pounds in the open air, a difference of over 50 per cent This is when the train is running at thirty-seven miles an hour in the direction of the ventilating air current; when running in the opposite direction the resistance increases to 20 46 pounds.

First American Peerage.

It is recorded in a history of the United States that an Indian chief named Mante after baptism was made a peer, receiving the rank of baron and assuming the title of Lord of Roanoke so far back as the year 1587 Somewhat later, in 1609, the title of Lord Delaware was granted by James I. to the new governor of Virginia Later still, in 1633, Charles I, among his coronation honors, conferred the title of Viscount Canada upon Sir William Alexander.

Queer Pets.

Probably the oddest passenger ever seen in a public vehicle was the pet bear that Frank Buckland would frequently take for drives in a four wheeler Quite recently the present writer saw a lady passenger in an omnibus fondling a chimpanzee, a man in a tram with a large pet rat peeping out of his side pocket, while a parrot enjoying a free tram ride perched on his master's shoulder is not at all an uncommon sight in a northern suburb—London Chronicle

Uncle Sam's Belt.

The total area of the canal zone, which includes all the land and water within five miles on either side of the center line of the canal, but does not include the area within the three mile limit on the Atlantic and Pacific ends of the canal, is 441½ square miles, of which the land area is 332 35 square miles The area of Gatun lake within the five mile limit is 106 4 miles, the area of Miraflores lake 1 9 miles and the area of the canal channel itself 85 mile The area was given in 1911 as 448 square miles, which was correct at that time, but by a treaty proclaimed Feb 18, 1915, an area of six and one half square miles adjoining Panama city was ceded to Panama in exchange for two small tracts, one of them in the city of Colon, on which one of the defense batteries of the canal is situated The same treaty gave the Panama canal administration control of all the waters of Gatun lake outside of the five mile limit and all land adjoining the lake up to the hundred foot contour line, adding sixty one square miles to the 441½ miles within the zone, making the area of the canal zone and controlled territory 502½ square miles.—Christian Herald.

Elephants Can't Jump.

"There is one thing no one has ever seen an elephant do, either in a circus or out of it, and that is to jump," said a keeper in the zoo.

"The fact is an elephant cannot jump Because of his great weight he cannot take all four feet off the ground at once. He can make a 100 yard dash at the rate of twenty miles an hour, which is going some but if he was pursuing an enemy and came to a deep ditch eight feet across he would have to stop short, because it is too wide for him to step it, and he is unable to jump An elephant is a great coward He will have a fit if a rabbit runs between his feet. He has tremendous strength, but he doesn t know it."

An Innocent Offender.

A rather amusing story of the art of making beds was related recently by a speaker at a women's meeting.

She was visiting a friend, and, being naturally neat and helpful, or thinking she was, she went up to her bedroom and made up the bed Later on, when it came time for her to depart, her hostess came into her room and upon viewing the bed exclaimed. "Mercy! That maid I have is awful! Just look at that bed!"

Lacking the courage to explain, the visitor hastened away. Later she wrote to her friend in this manner after admitting her guilt "I made up that bed after a recipe in the Ladies' Busy Bee, and it refused to jell."

Bridges.

The only mention of a bridge in the canonical Scriptures is indirectly in the principality of Geshur, a district to the northeast of the sea of Galilee At this place a bridge is said to exist still which is called by the Arabs 'the bridge of the sons of Jacob" The Romans are credited with being the first constructors of arched bridges over streams

Waiting For Congress.

"Why does the president have the pardoning power and not congress?"

"We don't want a prisoner who deserves a pardon to run the risk of dying of old age."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Gastronomy.

"How's your appetite?' asked the physician

"It's all right till I go to buy food, then I get nervous and lose it"—Washington Star

Goodness is the only investment that never fails.—Thoreau

Misplaced

"Is he a man with plenty of punch?"

'Yes But it's always inside of him"—Town Topics

"Pop, do sea captains have to be farmers?"

"Of course not, you foolish child Why do you ask that?'

"Because in books they are always plowing the ocean"

Luke McLuke Says:

The man who announces that no petticoat will ever boss him isn t a brave man. He is just a plain, common every day liar.

A man will spend a whole winter learning a system that will beat the races But it usually only takes one afternoon at the track to make him forget the system

Most of us do not care a hang where charity begins What we are interested in is where it ends

Judging from some of the male animals women marry, it must be mighty lonesome to be an old maid

A real boy never looks in the mirror to see if his face is clean after he has washed himself He looks at the towel

The old fashioned man who used to get shot while he was protecting his wife now has a son whose wife shoots him when she is protecting her affinity

In time of peace a king is expected to kiss other kings when he meets them After all, war isn't so terrible

Solomon had about 700 lady friends, yet he was considered the wisest man Nowadays when a man is caught with two lady friends he is pinched and his sanity is investigated

When friend wife is the prosecuting attorney and friend husband is the defendant, the prosecuting attorney always secures a conviction

This would be a better world if the reformers would begin on themselves

There are a lot of good people in the world who take off their hats to a wholesale liquor dealer and regard a saloon keeper as beneath their notice.

There was a time when men wore plumes and sashes and tights on the street But to their credit let it be said that their clothes never fastened in the back

Names Is Names.

Undertaker Doom is doing business at New Carlisle, O.

Where Is Secretary Daniels?

Back on Job—Max Souzer, of the Grand Rapids navy recruiting station, returned to this city last night to assume his duties here—Grand Rapids (Mich) Herald

Explained.

It s funny that in other days
Our money seemed to last
But it went further then because
It didn t go so fast

Altitudinous.

'Binks appears to have risen high in the world' 'Yes He is even above reproach"—Buffalo Express

A Friend.

There are two elements that go to the composition of friendship, each so sovereign that I detect no superiority in either, no reason why either should be the first named One is truth A friend is a person with whom I can be sincere The other element of friendship is tenderness. When a man becomes dear to me I have touched the goal of fortune—Emerson.

Why They Are Cleaner.

"Women's minds are much cleaner than men's," said a woman to her husband.

"They ought to be," replied her husband "They change them so much oftener"

Why You Have Gooseflesh In Chilly Temperatures.

Gooseflesh is nothing more or less than a contracting of the muscles under the skin This causes the tiny blood vessels also to contract and drives the blood out The skin tightens, and this acts directly on the hair follicles, which are always at an angle with the skin and not directly inward Therefore as the skin exerts a pull the angle is changed and the hair is made to stand straight up As the growth of hair on the body is so slight the hair follicles are clearly visible and what we term gooseflesh is the result But it is nothing more or less than the hair standing on end

Why We Hear More Clearly on a Frosty Night

When the atmosphere is dense, as on a frosty night sounds are carried farther and faster than when it is warm Ordinarily if you walked three times as far away from the source of a noise as you were when it first reached you the sound would not be one third of its original intensity, but one-ninth

How the Magnet Will Hunt the Needles You Drop on the Floor

Much time is saved in hunting for lost needles if you keep a horseshoe magnet suspended from a string in your workbasket, ready to drop to the floor and hunt your lost needles for you

EXPOSED WATER PIPES

How to Keep Them From Freezing In Cold Weather

Exposed water pipes are apt to freeze in winter, causing much annoyance, which may be prevented by covering them with the following mixture, says a contributor to Popular Science Monthly To a solution of thin boiled starch add sawdust until the mixture forms a thick paste A fine sieve may be used to clear this sawdust from lumps

Heavy cord is first wrapped around the pipe spacing the turns about one-half inch A one quarter inch layer of the mixture is smeared on and allowed to dry, then a second layer is put on and smoothed up The string acts as an anchor to make the coating adhere to the pipe closely Whitewash or paint may be used to give a finish for inside pipes, but for outside work cover the coating with hot tar If it is desired to have a very neat covering wrap the sawdust coating with cloth or canvas, applying it in narrow strips like a bandage and painting the outside surface An even coating of the sawdust is necessary when covering with cloth

Things to Worry About.

English sparrows are good to eat.

Bush League Papers Please Copy.

Rubbing with unsalted butter, followed by bleaching in the sun, will cleanse ivory—Detroit News.

Our Daily Special.

Some people do not know the difference between a promise and a threat.

Luke McLuke Says:

Some men waste half their lives sitting around and regretting that life is so short

No matter how well you are doing your work, there are always a lot of people loafing around who can tell you how to do it better.

It doesn't take much to start a battle in any well regulated home When mother is reading the paper she will exclaim "Well, of all things! What do you know about that?" And father will say, "Know about what?" And mother will announce that Mrs Blink s brother s wife s niece is married And father will want to know what in Sam Hill he cares if Tom, Dick and Harry's grandmother got married And mother will get mad and tell father that if it was one of his ornery, no account, porch climbing relatives he would be shouting the news all over town And then father will get mad and go out and slam the door and kick the cat off the front porch

The old fashioned boy who used to come home after school and do the chores now has a son whose tango lessons last from the time school gets out until he gets good and ready to come home

It may keep the bartender busy flicking the roaches off the bar so they won't get into the man's beer, but the man doesn t seem to mind it But if he ever goes home and sees a lone roach in the kitchen he is thoroughly disgusted and wants a divorce

Before he gets her he raves over her beautiful hair when it is piled on her head After he gets her he raves over her beautiful hair when it is piled on the dresser But it is a different kind of raving

When a girl gets a yen that she has a real voice it is hard to keep her from eating bird seed for breakfast

There are a whole lot of good things in the Bible that should be applied to our modern life, and one of them is this injunction 'Let your conversation be yea yea and nay nay."

The old fashioned girl whose face was her fortune now has a daughter who travels on her shape

The turtle dove is a drab colored wild pigeon

Love's Blindness.

Miss Louise says if you want to know just how blind love is all you need to do is watch an engaged girl trying to find a price mark on the box in which her fiancee sent her a birthday present—Macon Telegraph.

Ascher's Cosmopolitan Theatre

Halsted and 79th Streets

Wednesday, April 10th

Matinee 2 15—Continuous 11 15
2 15 to 6 45—All Seats 10c
6 45 to 11 15—Adults 15c, Children 10c

MADGE KENNEDY

in

"THE DANGER GAME"

Madge is clever everyone knows that—so it isn't surprising to find her spouting forth as the Authoress of a book Maybe she will write one some day but this one happens only in the picture. Oh Gee! what the critics did to that book was a shame But little Madge fought them back and then set out to demonstrate to the world at large that her heroine could do all the things she had made her do in her book The resulting mixups are enough to tickle the most hardened movie fan If you have the spring fever or a bad case of the blues come out today for we are going to make you laugh

Also This Day
THE LATEST PATHE NEWS and SIDNEY DREW COMEDY

Thursday, April 11th

Matinee 2 15—Continuous 11 15
2 15 to 6 45—All Seats 10c
6 45 to 11 15—Adults 15c Children 10c

TAYLOR HOLMES

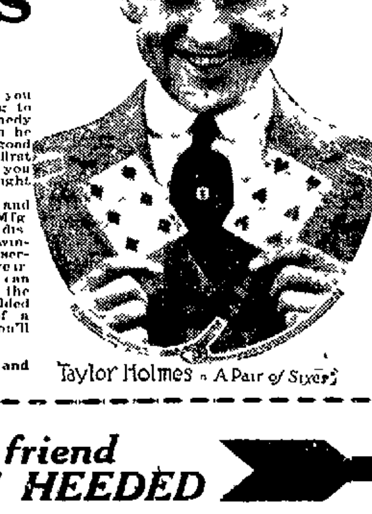
in

"A PAIR OF SIXES"

Today is another day we want to make you laugh That is the reason we are going to present Taylor Holmes in his latest Comedy Drama He has never been funnier than he is in this picture and that is saying a good deal The laughs start right at the first reel and unless you're a chronic grouch you won't be able to keep your face straight throughout the entire six reels

The trouble all started because Johns and Nettleton owners of the Digestive Pill Mfg Co couldn't agree and to settle their disputes they played a game of poker the winner to run the business the loser to be servant to the other for the period of one year Our pal Holmes is the Goat and you can imagine what happens when he assumes the role of valet and butler to Nettleton Added to his troubles there's a caricature of a housemaid who falls in love with him You'll agree with us that its a scream

Also the LATEST CHRISTIE COMEDY and HERCULES TRAVEL PICTURE



Taylor Holmes in A Pair of Sixes

Advice of an old friend and 'TWAS HEEDED

DEAR LAING Want to put you onto a good thing, as one old sport would say to another Last week I booked Private Dempsey into the Lane Court Theatre and he surely made more than good with his very interesting talk on the European situation You know he has been in the worst of the fighting and can tell the folks what is what from his own experience If you have a chance use him, as I know he will please all the Cosmo fans and it will be something just a little different

Your old pal BRUCE GODSHAW

P S—Be sure and have the Kiltie Band with him

The Biggest Attraction of the Season

Friday, April 12th

Matinee 2 15—Continuous 11 15
2 15 to 6 45—All Seats 10c
6 45 to 11 15—Adults 15c, Children 10c

Something Special

THE KILTIE BAND

From the Black Watch Regiment, will play in the evening, and

PRIVATE DEMPSEY

Hero of Verdun
Also Cited for Bravery in the Spring Drive of 1917

In Person

Private Dempsey appears at every show

First Chicago boy to enlist in the French army Born and raised right here in Chicago—1900 Belden Ave Attended Knickerbocker School and North Division High He returns with startling tales from the actual battlefields and dozens of interesting relics he gathered after the struggles

EACH ARTICLE HAS A STORY OF ITS OWN

There are no personal illusions for your kind applause It's all facts and truths and startling—because he tells you things you don't know and you never heard of or read about

One Day Only!

Thomas H Ince presents DOROTHY DALTON in 'Love Me'

Dorothy Dalton

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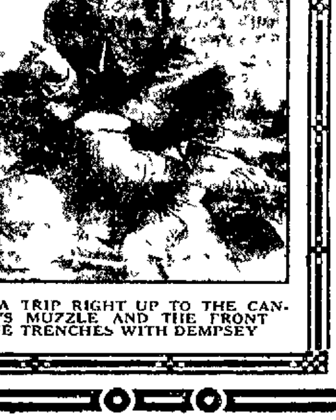
"LOVE ME"

The Most Exciting of all the Thrillers she has made

Also the LATEST HEARST PATHE and FAMOUS COMEDY



TAKE A TRIP RIGHT UP TO THE CANNON'S MUZZLE AND THE FRONT LINE TRENCHES WITH DEMPSEY

Saturday, April 13th

Matinee 2 15—Continuous 11 15
2 15 to 6 45—All Seats 10c
6 45 to 11 15—Adults 15c, Children 10c

J. Warren Kerrigan

in

"THE TURN OF A CARD"

A Seven Reel Paralta Picture full of Romance Adventure and L—O—V—E In fact a regular Kerrigan picture

Also BENJAMIN CHAPIN in DOWN THE RIVER

The Seventh Picture of the Abraham Lincoln Series

They are fine American pictures and each one complete

THE LATEST CARTOON

Also This Day
LATEST CARTOON AND LLOYD COMEDY
ADDED ATTRACTION FOR MATINEE
"BRONCHO BILLY"
In a Great Western Picture

Sunday, April 14th

Matinee 1 30—Continuous 11 15
1 30 to 5 30—All Seats 10c
5 30 to 11 15—Adults 15c, Children 10c

J. Stuart Blackton

The Master Producer of the Age presents

"WILD YOUTH"

The immutable law of love the call of youth to youth which defies the shackles of conventionality the bars of prison and every barrier to its consummation is the basic principle on which this thrilling story is founded—Adventure and Romance in which love finds a way A production containing all the artistic effort for which Mr Blackton is famous

EXTRA SPECIAL—VAUDEVILLE

These pictures will be run at the matinee only and for the benefit of the many little boys and girls who have been asking the management for something exciting

Come Early—Don t Miss It

THE SON OF DEMOCRACY—MY IMPRESSION OF THE PICTURE

When Lincoln was President he was interviewed largely by people who disagreed with what he was doing The people said that Lincoln lacked courage and that he didn't know how to manage this republic One day when Lincoln was at work some of these backbiters told Lincoln what they thought about him He then spoke up and said Be patriotic I will guide you to the right path my path is Union Still these people were not pleased and they demand that a meeting should be held Not by agreed to the plans that were brought up in the meeting it was adjourned without any permanent answer

Another time when Lincoln was visiting his battle front two of his guards were killed by Confederate rebels When the guard were buried Lincoln visited their graves There he saw a soldier planting a cross on the guards grave and Lincoln told the soldier of when he planted the cross on his mother's grave He told also about the time when he wrote to Reverend Elkin to go and pray at his mother's grave He told the soldier about the time he quarreled with his and by sister At the end he was so ashamed of himself for doing this that he didn't go home till late When he did go home the parson was waiting for him Tom thought he would get a whipping but the parson did not tell Abe father That night the parson held a ceremony at his mothers grave (The end)

LESLIE HAUSHER 8520 Carpenter St Age 13 B Brainerd School

LETS HAVE YOUR ESSAY ON LINCOLN

Boys and girls under 17 years write a short essay on the Lincoln pictures which we show every Saturday The winners will receive a pass good for an entire week for the Cosmopolitan Theatre The lucky ones this last week are

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Herman Grant no address Age 11

It was not much of a contest this week as only five essays were submitted and as there are five prizes each one was a winner Wake up boys and girls Do a little thinking

Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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He Was Too Flype.

A Belgian who lived in old Slype
To the river one day made a trype.
He waded right in
Clear up to his chin,
And now he is nursing the grype.

Paw Knows Everything.

Willie—Paw, do you know everything?

Paw—Yes, my son.

Willie—Well, if two women claimed a thin man as a husband, would he be the bone of contention?

Paw—Young man, you go down in the cellar and fix the furnace.

Tough.

It's easy enough to be pleasant
When the letters you get make a hit,
But the man worth while
Is the man who can smile
When all his mail reads, "Please remit."

Huh!

"A woman's curiosity is always getting her into trouble," growled Mr. Gabb. "Lot's wife rubbered around and turned into a pillar of salt."

"Is that so?" replied Mrs. Gabb. "Well, a man's curiosity gets him into more trouble than that. A man will rubber around and then turn into a saloon."

Metallic.

His voice has a metallic sound,
But do not think this funny;
For all day long he goes around
And talks about his money.

Ouch!

"And do you feel any better today?" asked the doctor.

"Oh, yes, a great deal better," replied the patient. "The thing that troubles me most now is my breathing."

"Well, I'll fix you up something that will stop that," assured the doctor.

There is no sinecure in the soul's economy. Every power has its work to do, every capacity its gift to fill it.—Phillips Brooks.

Her Reflection.

Every time a woman sees a mirror she pauses for awhile to reflect.—Indianapolis Star.

Unrelated Potatoes.

Sweet potatoes have not much in common botanically with their more familiar namesakes. They have long been cultivated as food in tropical and subtropical countries and were actually introduced into England at an earlier date than the common potato. The two tubers were often confounded by writers of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries, but the sweet potato won more popularity than its rival. Made into a sweetmeat it was regarded as an excellent invigorator. Sweetish and agreeable to the taste, its flesh forming qualities are considered equal at least to those of the common potato. —London Chronicle.

Help!

In winter time leaves leave the trees
And fade before the chilly breeze,
But cheer up, heart, and do not grieve,
For in the spring the trees will leave.

Please Pass the Coke!

"Where has the cheerful idiot been for the past month?" asked the old fogy.

"Oh, he has been figuring out a scheme to get rich quick," replied the grouch. "He is going to raise chickens."

"How is he going to get rich raising chickens?" asked the old fogy.

"He has it planned ahead," replied the grouch. "He intends to pay 50 cents for a hen. And a hen will raise 20 chicks in a year. That will give him 21 hens at the end of the first year. In the next year the 21 hens will raise 420 hens. Next year the number will be 8,400. The following year there will be 168,000 hens, and next year he will have 3,360,000 hens. That will give him $1,680,000 worth of hens for his fifty cent investment, won't it?"

The Crank.

The crank is a contrary pup;
He always makes me frown,
For, while he's certain to turn up,
It's hard to turn him down.

and said that she supposed the episode of my being there must end and she would never see me again. I assured her that an acquaintance so pleasantly *formed* would not be suffered by me to come to an end.

I went to Europe and discovered that the estate to which I had fallen heir needed attention. Nevertheless I found my thoughts constantly wandering back to America. And what drew them most forcibly was the young lady whom I had taught music while playing detective.

I never took sufficient interest to inquire whether the balance of the jewelry was discovered or the thief run

They Are Real.

Dear Luke—To settle a dispute please tell me if the names which appear in "Names Is Names" are legitimate names of real people or mere fiction.—J. T. S., Dayton, O.

The names are culled from various sources and are the names of real people. Most of them are sent in by readers with proofs that the names are legitimate.—Luke McLuke.

Things to Worry About.

Thirteen kinds of disease germs have been discovered in the dirt under one finger nail.

Our Daily Special.

Truth isn't stranger than modern fiction.

Luke McLuke Says:

The reason some men have time to loaf around all day and knock their home town is because their wives are taking in washing to pay the rent.

When religion and politics try to sleep in the same bed religion gets pneumonia because politics hogs all the covering.

When they are engaged they know that they are going to live on love and kisses. But after they marry the groceryman and the butcher put an awful dent into his pay envelope.

When five men meet in a saloon and gab for awhile any one of the five will

Let In the Sunlight.

All household furnishings should be exposed to direct sunlight for a number of hours every few days. Direct sunlight is the best disinfectant known. It kills germs in a few hours. Diffused sunlight or daylight may have as good effect, but in a much longer time. Shutting the sunlight out of the house is an unhygienic custom. It should go as has gone many of the ideas and customs belonging to the dark ages. Germs live and thrive in darkness. For that reason sunshine should find its way into the home daily, and its presence should be welcomed as a messenger of cleanliness and good health. The drawing of shades and the closing of windows to keep the carpets and draperies from fading should be discouraged. It is better to have carpets and draperies that are faded than to have boys and girls with cheeks that are faded. Roses in the cheeks are more valuable than roses in the carpet.

How to Fit a Horse Collar.

A collar should be fitted to the horse and not the horse to the collar. The collar that is too large should not be used on a horse in the hope that he will grow large enough so it will eventually fit. A collar that fits well in the spring may not fit at all in the fall.

When one is fitting a horse with a collar the animal should be standing in a natural position on level ground, with his head held at the height maintained while at work. The collar when buckled should fit snugly to the side of the neck, and its face should follow closely and be in even contact with the surface of the shoulders from the top of the withers to the region of his throat. At the throat there should be enough room for a man's hand to be inserted inside the collar.—Farm and Fireside.

Waste In Food.

"Eat what is on your plate" may seem to many people to be a new table precept, yet it has been practiced for many years in certain little communities nestled among the rugged hills of New England, where the waste of food is regarded as almost a crime. Hanging on the walls of many houses in these communities may be found the "Table Monitor," perhaps worked in worsted or cardboard and setting forth this sentiment, which somehow has a characteristic old time New England ring:

Prosperity may roll with ample flow,
Still to be prized, that it may widely bless.
The world is full enough of want and woe;
I will not mock with selfish wastefulness.

People Who Rarely Wink.

There are people who rarely wink. How they manage to get along without doing so is a marvel, but somehow or other they do. Some eyes are naturally more moist than others, and the very moist eye does not so much need the assistance of the lids to keep the eyeball bright. It is a constitutional matter, for winking, though under the control of the will, is done so quickly that it is practically an involuntary action. Men wink when they feel that the eye is uncomfortably dry, and when it does not become dry the necessity for winking is not felt.

First Veterinary School.

As nearly as the facts can be got at, the first veterinary school was founded in the city of Lyons, France, about the middle of May of the year 1761. Since 1761 veterinary schools have spread all over the civilized world, especially in Germany, France, England and the United States of America, in which advanced countries the horse has the benefit of as fine a science as that which exists for his master, man.

Her Proposal.

"Ah, George, did you propose to Vivian?"

"No. She made the proposal before I had a chance to say anything."

"She did? What did she say?"

"She proposed that I should leave the house immediately, and I did."

Simplicity.

I am convinced, both by faith and experience, that to maintain oneself on this earth is not a hardship, but a pastime if we will live simply and wisely, as the pursuits of the simpler nations are still the sports of the more artificial.—Thoreau.

PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

Measles.

"Every rise in temperature of a child should mean isolation as completely as if that child were in fact afflicted with an acute contagious disease," says the Medical Record in discussing means for the prevention of measles. By a "rise in temperature" is understood any temperature higher than 99 degrees F.

For measles is most infectious in its earliest stages, when the symptoms are generally only those of a cold in the head. The typical rash has not yet appeared, but the child is sneezing, blowing a minute spray from its nose with every sneeze. This spray is laden with the germs of the disease. These germs are scattered through the air of the home or the schoolroom and inhaled by the noses of brothers and sisters or schoolmates.

It is then, far more than when the disease has developed to the easily recognizable stage, that infection is spread; therefore it is then that the child must be isolated.

More Satisfactory.

A poetic contributor recently submitted to a magazine an effusion, entitled "The Lay of the Lark." It was returned with this editorial note:

"Rejected with thanks. Send a few specimens of the lay of the hen just now. We will gladly accept them."

Busy Listening.

"I bought my wife a parrot last week."

"Can he talk?"

"I don't know. He hasn't had a chance yet."—New York World.

Wise.

There was an old fellow in Toul
Who found winter fighting too cool.
Said he, "I am for
The man who said war
Was hell, for that lad was no fool."

Yes, the Days Are Growing Longer.

Mr. Blatchford himself is a near hotel man and farmer. He has on his farm at Paw Paw Lake, Mich., a large herd of Guernsey cattle, consisting of three cows and a bull, all of which he milks.—National Hotel Reporter.

Names Is Names.

David Stonecipher is an attorney in Pittsburgh, Pa.

His Own Fault.

The old miser in the story who dropped a five dollar gold piece in the plate at church, mistaking it for a nickel, could get no great satisfaction out of the deacon, as will be recalled, but he was not the man to give up easily.

Accordingly he sought legal advice with a view of instituting a suit at law.

But the lawyer whom he consulted was one of those rare and gifted souls who would much rather be witty than rich—or almost anything else for that matter.

"Sir," said he at once, "you have no case. You were guilty of contributory negligence."—Exchange.

St. Peter's cathedral in Rome will accommodate 54,000 people.

As They Once Were.

"Mamma, did you ever wear a hoopskirt?" asked Bessie, who had been reading about the birdcage skirts of the days long ago.

"No, dear. I never wore one, but grandma did."

"Grandma! Why, how did she ever put her cane on the ground?" asked Bessie.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Chances Only Fair.

A judge who is blessed with a tremendous head of hair, which is generally in a state of wild disorder, was questioning a youthful witness to make sure that he comprehended the character and importance of the oath he was about to take.

"Boy," he said in his severest and most magisterial manner, "do you feel that you could identify me after six months? Now, be careful. Think before you speak."

"Well, your honor," replied the boy after a prolonged survey of the great judge, "I ain't dead sure, but I think I could if you wasn't to comb your hair." —St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Miles and Knots.

A circle is divided into 21,600 minutes of arc. It is supposed that the circumference of the earth at the equator is 24,898.5928 miles. But a knot or nautical mile equals this number of statute miles divided by 21,600, which, performed and reduced to feet, gives 6,086.3, the legal statute mile being 5,280 feet.

The Russian railways employ dog ear spikes for fastening the rail to the track.

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Some folks will say that you are dense.
Some say you're overrated;
You must be your own audience
To be appreciated.

Paw Knows Everything.

Willie—Paw, why does a man get a divorce?

Paw—To correct a fool miss-take, my son.

Poems You May Not Care to Read.

Kindly notify Will Ater
If a dead one you have got.
Either phone will bring his wagon,
For he's John's on the spot.
You don't need to call the sexton,
You will have no bills to pay,
Simply tell Will where he's lying,
He will take the horse away.
You don't need to dig for hours
In the gravel or the clay;
Ater's ready with his wagon
For to take your dead away.
So if you should be the loser
Of a horse or hog or goat,
Call for Ater and his wagon,
He'll come out and get the bloat.
What a blessing to this country,
Bill will go where devils tread
To remove the bloated carcass
Of a horse or hog that's dead.
Phone 4 10 R 11.
—Spring Valley Gazette.

If a man is really reliable he doesn't have to devote much of his time to exploiting that virtue. You are watched pretty closely, whether you know it or not.

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COUPON — Child's Overalls, well made, ages 2 to 6 years, with this coupon **49c**

COUPON — Girls' Straw Hats, nicely trimmed, value up to $1.00, with this coupon **50c**

COUPON — Women's and Children's Carpet Slippers, with this coupon, pair **19c** (3 pair limit)

COUPON — Shinola Polish, black, white or brown, with coupon, box **7c** (2 limit)

COUPON — Boys' and Girls' black Tennis Shoes, all sizes, with coupon **49c** (2 limit)

COUPON — Men's Black Elk Outing Shoes, regular price $2.50, with this coupon **$1.95**

COUPON — Women's patent or dull leather Oxfords, Spanish or military heels, regular $4.50 value, with this coupon **$2.95**

COUPON — Walton's Boys' Shoes, in button or lace, sizes 9 to 13½, regular price $2.50, with this coupon **$1.98**

COUPON — Boston or Paris Garters, with this coupon **19c** (2 pair limit)

COUPON — Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 50c value, with this coupon **35c** (2 limit)

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COUPON — This Coupon is worth 50c in cash and can be applied on any Men's Hat purchased Saturday, April 13th

COUPON — Ladies' Double Tipped Silk Gloves, black or white, with coupon, pair **50c** (2 limit)

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COUPON — 36 inch Curtain Scrim, with drawn work border, 19c value, with coupon, yd. **12½c** (10 yd. limit)

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